Board of Chiropractic Examiners

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PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT OF LICENSE TO PRACTICE CHIROPRACTIC REVOKED BY ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION

Section 10(c) of the Chiropractic Initiative Act states that a licensee may petition the Board for reinstatement of his or her license if the following requirements have been met:

- Two years has elapsed from the effective date of the decision ordering disciplinary action; or
- One year has elapsed since the effective date of a petition previously filed pursuant to Section 10(b)
 of the Chiropractic Initiative Act and the petitioner was afforded a hearing; or

Additional requirements of the Board are:

- If the petitioner was on court-imposed probation or parole for any criminal offense provide proof of termination of probation or parole; and
- Provide documentation of any subsequent convictions or accusations or petitions to revoke probation that may have been filed with any other board.

If you meet the above requirements, you may petition the Board for reinstatement of your license to practice chiropractic by completing and submitting the attached petition form. When completing your petition, please refer to the attached "Guidelines for Petitions for Reinstatement, Reduction of Penalty, and Early Termination of Probation." These guidelines outline the rehabilitation criteria the Board has determined a petitioner should meet when petitioning for license reinstatement, reduction of disciplinary penalty, or early termination or probation.

Documentation of 12 hours of continuing education, acquired within the last year from the date your application is received by the Board. Photocopies of the certificates of completion should be sent with your petition application and the original certification documents retained for your records.

Submit the petition with the required documents to the address above, to the attention of the enforcement unit. The petition will be processed and scheduled for the requested Board meeting, unless otherwise notified. Please be advised that you should allow 45 days for the processing of your petition, and the petition set for hearing. To view a current list of Board meeting dates refer to our website.

You will be notified in writing of the hearing date. At the hearing, you will be afforded the opportunity to present both oral and written evidence of your rehabilitation; and you may, but need not be, represented by counsel. In deciding the case, the Board will take into consideration the petition, all recommendations, and any oral or written evidence. The Board will be represented by the Attorney General's Office and an administrative law judge will preside over the hearing. Approximately 30-days after the hearing you will be notified by mail of the Board's decision, it will not be announced on the day of the hearing.